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CLEARY-LEAHY.

Wednesday evening, at 7.30 o'clock, Miss Mary Agnes Cleary and Mr. William J. Leahy were united in marriage by Rev. J. M. Mulcahy at the parish house. The bride was handsomely attired in white muslin and carried bride roses. Miss Josephine Cleary, a sister of the bride, acted as bridesmaid, she also being becomingly attired in white muslin. Mr. Thomas Leahy, a brother of the groom, was best man.

After the knot had been tied the happy couple repaired to the home of the bride where a reception was held from 8 to 11 o'clock. The bride and groom received the hearty congratulations of their friends. A wedding supper was served, the table being very tastefully set, and laden with good things. Miller's orchestra discoursed excellent music during the reception. Vocal selections were rendered by Mrs. Waite, Misses Fuller and Gannon, and Messrs. Leahy and Mullweeney. Instrumental music was rendered by Misses Annie Doyle, Cassie Leahy, Josephine Cleary, Messrs. Thomas Leahy and Thomas Leahy. It was late when the newly married couple took a carriage for Boston amid a shower of rice where they took a train for Nashua, N. H. Upon their return Mr. and Mrs. Leahy will reside at 5 Park street, where their home is beautifully furnished.

The wedding presents were numerous and beautiful. Mr. W. W. Rawson decorated the home very tastefully with ferns, rubber trees, potted plants and cut flowers. The bride's parent's present was a handsome parlor suit. There were silver service, silver spoons, hand-some rockers, chairs, beautiful lace draperies, cut glass bon-ton dish, range; bride's chamber furnished by groom's parents, silver knives and forks, parlor table, sofa pillows, elegant lamps, clocks, individual silver pieces, silver water pitcher, gardeners, abundance of table linen, elegant pictures, hall lamp, hall stand, plate glass mirror and a large number of other useful presents for housekeeping.

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K. OF C. LAWN PARTY.

Arlington Council K. of C. were favored this year with weather which would be hard to beat for the grand lawn party which was held on Labor day at Medford street grounds.

Early in the morning the committee in charge of the affair were upon the grounds and soon had the decorations started on the various booths which, together with the dance platform had been erected the day before by Mr. O. B. Marston. It was a busy time for the committee. The Messrs. T. J. Robinson, Purcell Bros. and D. T. Dale had their teams on the go until near time of opening. Never did a committee work harder; and why shouldn't they, for were they not assured of a pleasant day, something unusual for them, as in previous years they have had rain to contend with. The day meant success in every way and so they worked with a will.

Long before the time of opening the gates to those who wished to participate in the festivities of the day Electrician R. W. LeBaron had wired the dance platform and suspended arc lights about the grounds the committee had finished draping and covering the booths, lanterns were hung and old glory flung to the breeze.

The committee in charge: Messrs. J. J. Robinson, chairman; James P. Daley, Thos. J. Robinson, Dennis J. Collins, John A. Bishop, James J. Mahoney, P. F. O'Neil, John W. Dacey, Wm. J. Gearja can well feel proud of the outcome. Knowing out of all this hard work their endeavor is some \$300. the richer.

Shortly after two o'clock the National Guard band of Boston, started the ball rolling by a selection, and soon the dancers were on the platform whirling around to a waltz.

The various booths were tastefully arranged. One contained ice cream and cake and was in charge of Mr. John A. Bishop and J. J. Lane; the candy table was in charge of J. A. Daley and Peter F. O'Neil; lunch, coffee and tonic in charge of D. W. O'Brien and J. W. Dacey; dance platform in charge of P. T. Dale and J. J. Ahern; Shooting gallery, D. J. Collins.

The feature of the afternoon was the boys' and girls' races, the entry list being large, with results as follows:

Girls' race; Bessie Roach, first; Annie Hogan, 2d.
Large boys' race; James Shea and Leary McKay, tied.
Small boys' race, Walter Stingle 1st; Jack McKeon 2d.
Doughnut race, Joseph Ahern 1st; Henry Riley 2d.

During the afternoon dancing was indulged in, the platform being full each time, making the dancers at times rather crowded.

The supplies at the various booths run low and a new stock added three times. The African dodger failed to appear, thus taking away considerable of the profits.

Messrs. J. J. Robinson, chairman, and T. J. Robinson, Grand Knight, were higher and thither during the day, supervising matters.

As the evening wore on the crowd increased until about 2000 people were on the ground. Dancing was indulged in until after 9 o'clock, when the all important feature, the cake walk, commenced. Many of the announced participants failed to put in an appearance, so that the contestants were limited to six. Mr. Philip Hendrick had charge of this feature, and he certainly understands his business.

Mr. Thomas Meagher was really the feature of this event, his manœuvres causing an outburst of applause. Mr. T. J. Robinson took the con part to perfection. Mr. J. H. Law and Miss Ivy Maxwell walked for the cake in true dandy style and the prize was awarded them, although it was a toss-up which was the better, Meagher or Maxwell. This rounded out the events of the day.

The affair throughout was handled in a thorough business manner. Nothing occurred to mar the day thanks to Officer Hooley.

LABOR DAY.

Labor day morning opened up with a perfectly clear sky and an atmosphere as pure and invigorating as one could wish to have—in fact, it could not have been more beautiful had the weather been made to order. The only thing which could have been pointed out as a flaw was the wind, but as the day wore on it gradually died out. The citizens of Arlington were up early and preparing for the events of the day, for when one looked through the day's program there was found any amount of amusements to take place.

Comparatively few of our citizens went out of town, for places of recreation were enough to take up their attention at home.

The first number on the program was a game of ball on Lawrence field between the East Boston Club and the Arlington Boat Club.

The attendance was very good, but the game was a complete walk-over for the Boat Club. The visitors were first at bat, and for the first three innings the pitcher somewhat puzzled the Boat Club boys, but they soon got on to his curves and batted at will, and then it was the East Boston boys went to pieces. The pitcher evidently thought the batsmen a good target, for both Harold Wood and Le throng were hit by him.

An exciting part of the game was when Berthrong started for home plate. Both third baseman and the pitcher tried to put him out, but finally the pitcher dropped the ball and a home run was made amid great applause—Rankin pitched a fine game. The score was as follows:

A. B. C.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
E. B.	1	0	2	5	0	10	23
	1	0	0	0	3	1	6

BICYCLE RACE.

The next on the program was the much talked of bicycle race by the management of the A. W. & C. C. This proved a great drawing card. The side-walks were crowded with people, and way into the street the mass of humanity surged.

The police system was excellent, and Chief Harriman and his men are to be congratulated in the way they handled the crowd, and for the perfect order which prevailed throughout the entire race.

It was 1.15 sharp when the first lot of riders were off, and the others followed on time in their order. The contestants as they started were as follows:

3.00—Cameron.
3.30—Cameron, Gove, McCabe, Rollins.
4.00—Law, Wheeler, Jr., Hyde, Millett.
4.30—Burns, Jones.
4.50 sec.—MacKiernan, DeCoursey.
5.00 sec.—Beals, Carney.
5.20 sec.—Manson, Hurd, Dederick, Wheeler.
Scratch—Richards, Swan, Mann.

No sooner were the scratch men off when the crowd started for the centre to watch the men as they came in on the second and third lap. By the time the men arrived on the second time around the square was black with people, fully four thousand being in attendance.

While the men were on their first time around the judges, scorers and timers had procured J. Q. Holt's wagon and run it alongside the sidewalk for their work of scoring. Long before they reached the centre the crowd commenced cheering, and it was kept up all along the line. As they passed the Enterprise office the riders were bunched considerably, and many had fallen out.

The excitement increased as the time for the finish arrived, and as viewed by us it was a pretty ending. Hurd led Manson at the crossing, but one of the prettiest of spurts was made, and Manson shot ahead, being first over the tape and was declared the winner.

F. E. Rollins received a fall and bad bruises, but continued on.

W. S. Manson, 1st, 25-32
H. E. Hurd, 2d, 25-35
F. E. Rollins, 3d, 25-38
W. J. Hyde, 4, 25-46
C. Dederick, 5, 25-52
B. F. Swan, 6, 25-55
K. Henson, 7, 25-58
J. D. Byrne, 8, 25-59
J. F. King, 9, 25-60

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Green Corn Hubbard Squash
Baked Macaroni and Cheese
Corn Starch Pudding
Wine Jelly with Whipped Cream
Apple Custard Blueberry Pie
Tea Coffee Milk
Cheese

The attendance at the second game was quite large, and some excellent playing was seen, the greatest feature being the work of the Clarksons, they making several timely difficult catches. Although the visitors were a strong team, yet the Arlington boys white-washed them. Harold Wood pitched an excellent game, his work being the principal factor in winning the game. The score:

ARLINGTON B. C.	SOUTH BOSTON.
Berthrong, 4 0 1 0	Waldron, 1 0 1 1
Saul, 2 0 1 0	P. Flaherty, 3 1 1 2
Gray, 3 0 3 1	Mahoney, 0 5 2 0
W. Clarkson, 11 2 0 0	Colpoys, 2 0 4 0
H. Wood, 2 1 0 0	Lyons, 7 0 1 0
H. Wood, p, 2 1 0 2	Butler, m, 0 4 1 0
Corbett, 1 0 5 0	J. Flaherty, p, 1 0 3 1
E. Wood, c, 1 10 0 1	Sanders, 1 0 1 0
F. Clarkson, m, 0 3 0 0	Eaves, 4 1 0 1
Totals, 6 27 8 5	Totals, 3 24 11 5
Innings, 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9	
Arlington B. C., 0 2 0 1 0 0 0 0 0-3	
South Boston B. C., 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0-0	

Runs made, by W. Clarkson, Rankin 2. Two-base hit, H. Wood. First base on balls, by Flaherty 5, by Wood 2. Strike out, by Wood 7, by Flaherty 5. Double plays, Berthrong to Gray, Butler to Waldron. Hit by pitched ball, Waldron, P. Flaherty. Umpire, Wheeler. Time 1h, 45m. Attendance 900.

Mr. Archie Beauchemin's little son was severely cut on the top of his head Thursday evening by a horseshoe which was accidentally thrown. Drs. Stickney and Young took four stitches in the wound. The little fellow is doing nicely.

Mr. M. E. Callahan opens his billiard and pool parlor at 442 Mass. avenue, today and invites the public to call and inspect the same.

Mrs. Dr. Percy and family arrived Wednesday from Popham Beach.

Mr. Con. Cronan will please accept thanks for those melons and egg plants.

H. L. Frost & Co. are again at their old stand in P. O. Block with flowers.

It is most agreeable to all Belmonters to see our churches open again.

Another concert will be given on Monday evening by the 1st Cavalry Band on the green near the Unitarian church. The following program will be rendered:

March, St. John's Commandery, Hall
Grand selection, H. Provator, Verdi
a. Up the Street
b. Whistling Rufus
Trumpet solo, selected, Mr Ripley
Descriptive piece, The Mill in the Forest, Ellenberg
Grand selection, Runaway Girl, Ar by Reeves
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Mr Towse
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AN INVERTED READING.

"Give and take" is an inverted reading of the fundamental fact. It must be in every instance "take and give." One must first receive before he can impart. For instance: that one should give out the truth, he must first have drank in the spirit of all truth. We all of us complain more or less frequently, that this one and that one gives nothing to his church or to any other religious or benevolent organization. Now this withholding is no real cause of surprise because the individual—in question, has nothing to give. He has received nothing, so that he is an empty storehouse. Before you can get men and women to work in earnest, you must interest them in that work, and before you can beget in them an interest you must infuse them with an intense desire for the accomplishment of whatever enterprise you may have in hand. Live men and women can only be had as they come in touch with life. They will only move as they see things about them moving. If one lives in a grave yard he will necessarily become a good deal dead himself. But to really live means inspiration. To be breathed upon and into, is to receive power. We must all tarry in Jerusalem for a brief while in order that we may be fitted for our special duties, whatever they may be. "Ask and ye shall receive." The truth is the most of us do not ask, so we remain mere ciphers in any and all commendable enterprises. There is many a man who needs literally to be born again. For some reason his first birth has made no count in his favor. We know men and women of whom it might be truthfully said "dead but not buried." What the world most needs is that life which resurrects the dead. A live man is he who has the vital spark within him so intensely that it must burst forth into a flame; and a live organization means an intensely associated life. It would be well for us all to remember that expiration invariably follows inspiration. One must first breathe in before he can breathe out. In our unfavorable criticism we usually get the cart before the horse. We complain that men and women do nothing and give nothing, when the truth is we have given them nothing to do or to give, so that the criticism comes largely back upon ourselves. It is told somewhere that a good clergyman once said to a regular sleeper in his church, "take a pinch of snuff and that will keep you awake," whereupon the sleeper replied: "my dear pastor, put some snuff into your sermon and then I shall be able to keep awake." This cute answering back was a just and sensible retort. The truth is, the most of us need to begin with ourselves. Dead men and women cannot long live where life abounds.

THOSE SENSELESS EXAMINATIONS.

In a recent number of the Outlook there is an able article by a distinguished educator upon those senseless school examinations for promotion to the higher classes or to the college. It has long been recognized by at least the parents of our boys and girls, that much time is lost in our schools by this everlasting review work for the purpose of making ready for the next class in the higher grade, and through this demand has come the so-called "cramming process," in most of our public schools. These examinations are the dread of the pupil, while they amount to little or nothing aside from nervous prostration and a complete exhaustion of vital energy. The late president of Yale College, the Rev. Dr. Dwight, once said that he could not pass a successful examination to the Freshman class in the college over which he presided. Just think of the ridiculous absurdity of requiring such tests for an examination to the college that ninety-nine out of a hundred of its graduates could not pass! These formal examinations in the schools are both senseless and wicked from start to finish. The writer in the Outlook well says "there must be a letting go of the lesser in order that one may reach out and grasp the greater," and then he adds that it is a dead loss of valuable time that the pupil should be required to review and re-review what he has previously learned, but for the moment let go that he might reach out and take in the greater. The majority of our most distinguished educators are convinced that this school examination business is a farce, only continued that the machinery of school work may be kept perfect in all its parts. But we unhesitatingly say, destroy the machine and thus save the individuality of both teacher and pupil. These formal school examinations should be prohibited by state law. There is no reason why the health of the sensitive boy or girl should be undermined by a requirement that is utterly devoid of good sense. "Died from overwork in our public schools" is too frequently

the verdict of the medical world. We are glad to learn that some of our colleges are admitting to their curriculum of study, pupils from our high schools simply upon the graduating diploma.

However excellent our system of public instruction may be, there is yet decided improvements to be made in our public schools. The old district system, say what we may to the contrary, had many advantages over our present educational arrangement of doing things. In those earlier days no class requirement killed out the individuality of the pupil. He had the field all to himself. There were no abominable written examinations then to fence in and hamper the boys and girls. In the district system the teacher was not compelled to vainly attempt to cipher out with pen or pencil the intellectual attainments of his class. There was any amount of good sense displayed in the common schools of years ago.

The first modification that should be made in the schools of today, is to at once do away with examinations for promotion. We are not fully informed of what the practice is in our Arlington schools in relation to "getting ready for the examination." But our purpose is to make ourselves familiar upon this point soon after the beginning of the autumn term of our schools.

ONE'S BREAD AND BUTTER.

It is a fact that cannot be ignored that one's bread and butter must be considered from the inexorable demand to live. However unpoetical it may be, the truth is that we all, without exception, must have something to eat. Of course, it is an acknowledgement of dependence that we must have our breakfast, dinner and supper in order to keep going, and beside, we must have something to wear—a necessity arising from Eve's undying curiosity to have a taste of the "forbidden fruit." And then again, we must have a house in which to live, so that this question of a livelihood is an important one, so much so that the heading of this editorial becomes of sufficient local importance that one may write of it without apology. It would seem by a natural law of our being that one would make his home where the means of daily sustenance are the more easily secured. And yet in spite of this law, if law it be, the large majority of men and women have a kind of insane desire to migrate to the city, where they see in imagination fortunes upon all sides. The average country boy does not and possibly cannot recognize the unfortunate fact that the city is filled and running over with the poorest of the poor. Jacob Riis, the distinguished reformer, tells how it is. We have just come from the country, and so are full of all those things and conditions which make life so comfortable. During our recent outing of a few days in New Hampshire we were the guest of a family residing in a two story and a half house, with some dozen rooms or more, the home having a spacious annex, and with many of the modern improvements, with a large barn and all the buildings in excellent repair. The house to which we refer is situated at the junction of two roads, within five minutes' walk of the depot, where the Boston and Manchester morning papers may be had, conveniently near to schools and churches, and in a country the picturesque scenery of which can hardly be surpassed—and yet with all these advantages our host pays only \$4 per month, and he is remembered that he has a large and productive garden where he may delightfully while away his leisure moments without an extra penny to pay. Such a home as he has in the country would cost him in Arlington not less than \$75 per month, while a much larger sum would be asked for a Boston home. Now, do not for a moment suppose that this four-dollar residence means the back country where there are no school houses or churches. The locality of which we write is just as intelligent and as nearly up to date in all that pertains to these later times as is any one of the suburbs of Boston. The reason of this wide difference between the material life of the city and that of the country is, that the countryman has all nature in her first estate. There is no middle man between her and him, so he gets the necessities of life at first cost. And in addition to all this, the prevailing fashions and styles of excessive society life do not get such a grip on country life as it does upon that of the city and her suburban towns.

To find that ease and comfort which make life enjoyable, go to the open country, where the skies are bluer and more genial than elsewhere, and where the fields and the wood are always attractive and inviting. You boys and girls, now being educated in the public schools of Arlington, ought not to conclude that you must as graduates of our higher institutions of learning necessarily enter one of the professions and reside in the city. The country is calling for our best men and women, and she offers them inducements that the overcrowded city cannot offer. For a life that is normal in all its varied departments, there must be had the country residence.

"God made the country, while man made the town"; and this fact is just why we prefer the country.

MAY HAVE BEEN WRONG.

Gov. Rollins of New Hampshire may have been wrong when he so stoutly

asserted some months ago that church attendance was on the decrease in the Granite State. Be that as it may, he was certainly right when he declared that individual interest in church work in many towns in N. H. is not what it was in former years. One's interest in any work is to be measured by what he does in that department of labor. There is no enterprise in all the wide world, whether it be secular or religious, that will not receive individual, vital support, provided he or she is personally interested therein. It is altogether a just and righteous criticism to affirm that a dead church means a dead membership. For a church to live and do aggressive work there must be an intense life imparted to it. This much we say from the fact that we know of at least one church in Gov. Rollins' state which receives a beggarly material support from its membership. Let us illustrate in a mathematical way. One of the members of said church, estimated to be worth anywhere from \$10,000 to \$15,000 pays only one dollar a year, for his preaching. Another member, and an ex-deacon at that, who is in comfortable circumstances, pays one dollar only per annum for the pulpit instruction he receives. And, if we are correctly informed, the possessor of an estate valued something like \$100,000, pays or did pay the beggarly sum of \$2 a year towards the pastor's salary. Now, to suppose that a christian organization can thrive upon such wholesale withholding of material means, is to virtually declare that God does not require human agency in the attainment of results that are both positive and excellent. Such support for church privileges as we have cited must necessarily bring any religious body of men and women into disrepute.

This attempting to purchase heaven by the dollar's worth will hardly be found a paying investment. While we are not of the clerical profession, and are not at this writing attempting to preach a sermon, yet we do not hesitate to put in exclamatory form our utter surprise and even disgust at the above stinginess in church affairs. The town to which we refer, but have not named, does not stand alone in this pecuniary business. Gov. Rollins spoke none too early in this matter of non-support of many of the churches in his state.

We question the religious experiences of that man whose pocket is not reached. A vital, material support of the church must be in a large way the measure of its growth in a christian life. A man who is worth \$15,000 and will give only \$1 for the preaching of the Word in the church of which he is a member, should no longer be allowed to have his name remain a blot upon the church list of communicants. And all this is no unfavorable criticism of our church organizations. We believe in the church, and in the effective work it accomplishes when pervaded with a life that begets life. New Hampshire is not the only state where may be found men and women who are attempting to secure heaven without its costing them anything. Poor, niggardly souls! They may be saved, and simply for the reason that there is not enough to them to be lost.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

Sylvester Baxter writes that "the free public library movement in the Commonwealth of Massachusetts where the idea found its birth, etc.," in which statement Mr. Baxter is mistaken. The first free public library in this country had its birth in Peterboro, N. H.

The reception which the city of Boston has given this present week, the gallant 26th Regt. was brilliant in every detail. The dance in Mechanics Hall on Thursday evening, is an event long to be remembered.

There is likely to be something of a contest in this senatorial district, as Senator William H. Hodgkins, contrary to all precedents, has aspirations for a third term. Franklin E. Huntress of Somerville, who has served three years in the House, is logically the coming republican candidate for the Senate from this district.

The Governors of twenty-six States will meet in Chicago on Sept. 13th to 16th to discuss trusts. The call states the object to be purely educational and strictly non-partisan. The subject for discussion is "Trusts and Combination; their Uses and Abuses—Railway, Labor, Industrial and Commercial."

We see by our exchange, the Winchester Star, that Samuel W. Twombly of that town is likely to be made, this autumn, the republican candidate for the legislature. We know Mr. Twombly personally. A man of ability and unquestioned integrity. He cannot fail to add in an official way to the good name of Winchester. We would vote for Mr. Twombly with both hands up.

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"Frae many a spout came running out Her reeking-hot red gore."

What would Archimedes have said if he had been there?

The Arlington idea: *Squirt or burst.*

What town in the commonwealth boasts of so many sports to the acre as Arlington?

Certain residents of Jason street are so enraptured with croquet-playing that they have their grounds illuminated with electric lights that they may prolong their games long after sunset.

"My policy in the Philippines."—William I.

The Messrs. Cuttings and White of Jason street are enthusiastic golf players.

Arlington Centre has quite a cavalcade of horseback riders, including Judge Hardy, Charles Hardy, Dr. Denbrett, the Cutting Bros., Messrs. Phinney, Pierce, Taft, Bailey, Smith, et als.

Go catch Aggy.

Frozen truths are cold facts.

Work is progressing on the electric road which is to connect Lexington with Arlington Heights. But will the Heights after its completion be relieved of the Sunday riff-raff with which it is now infested?

Diamond engagement rings have been marked up 50 per cent. by order of the Trust, and a still further increase in price is threatened. Attend to business, young man.

It is now a fad among the girls at the summering places to go out early in the morning and kiss the grass while it is Dewey

In Utah plural wives are not singular

Cheap talk is often very dear.

By as much as beef goes up, less of it goes down.

Schurman is sanguine that the Filipinos are sanguinary fellows.

The country is prospering; the price of beef continues to go up.

It is easier to catch a weasel asleep than it is to catch a trust without a good sound reason for its extortion.

When a woman says she doesn't believe in love it is evidence that she once believed in it too much.

In marriage one of two parties is always taken in. You must try to be the other party.

Esterhazy's motto: When you tell a lie do not always stick to it.

It is a pity that Gen. Mercier can't be mercier toward Dreyfus.

Birds of the bellow: the summer girls wearing winged bathing suits.

'Tis said that the sea serpent which recently appeared at one of our bathing beaches was attracted there by the appearance of what he thought to be several editions of Eve.

The spelling book which in the days of our fathers was ever acknowledged to be "the only sure guide to the English Tongue," is consigned to the shelf as a relic of the past.

Why cannot the McKinleyites in their rapturous boastings give the Lord just a tithe of the credit for the present "prosperous times," inasmuch as the prosperity is largely due to the recent exceedingly excellent crop-bearing years in the Great West?

"The niggers are having lots of fun with Otis."—Returned soldier.

The beef trust is "skinning" the people.

He thinks he must have had a good time last night, for he finds himself broke this morning.

Why are Unitarians better than diamonds? Because they are too good to be lost.

Wherein is "Mumm's Dry" like a good speller? You can guess it.

Why is there always a "calm before a storm?" Because the ladies are afraid of lightning.

At a recent meeting of a certain School Board in the West the subject of a text-book in grammar was under discussion. One member arose and with much indignation addressed his associates as follows: "I am bitterly opposed to the study of English grammar; I wish it understood that me and my family are Americans, and I want nothing but American grammar taught in our public schools."

As I strolled up Washington street and gazed in the milliners' windows I sighed to think what the dear girls have got to bear when they get home.

Why is the oak a favorite with chiropradists?

"Brevity is the soul of wit," The telegram and the postal card were the John Baptists that enforced this rhetorical maxim. The postal often gives the full meat of a four-page letter. One gallon of maple syrup contains the sweetness of forty gallons of maple sap. "Boil it down."

The George-Fred-Williams popo-critico-democratic convention will assemble in Mechanics' Hall, Boston, September 21. The popalistic choir

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ARLINGTON LOCALS.

Alice Gilbert is back from Vt.

Mr. W. Brown is home from Lake Rosier, Me.

W. L. Elliot of Jason street, is in Halifax, N. S.

Friday, Sept. 10. Fifteenth Sunday after Trinity.

Frank Bott and family are back from Annisquam.

Mr. Ira W. Holt and family are home from Brant Rock.

Miss Louise Davis and her mother are back from Me.

Lucy M. Sawyer is visiting friends in Franklin Co., N. Y.

Alice Frazer, who has been at Athens, Me., is now at home.

Mr. Dominic Dineen is suffering with a badly sprained wrist.

Mr. H. A. Kidder and family have returned from the Provinces.

The Rev. Frederic Gill is at home from his vacation in Canada.

G. J. Piffer and wife have returned from their stay in Watertown.

C. J. Devereaux and family are at their home from Amersand, N. Y.

Mr. W. H. H. Tuttle and family have returned from Diamond Island, Me.

Dr. Reed and family of Maple street, are home from Parline Pond.

Charles E. Webber and family, 28 Bartlett avenue, are now in Maine.

Mr. A. E. Turner and family of Jason street, are back from Rye Beach, N. H.

Mrs. Frank Winn, after a pleasant week spent at Falmouth, is home again.

Mr. W. A. Nichols is residing with his mother, Mrs. Turnbull, in Stoneham.

Read in another column the advertisement of a square Miller piano for sale.

Mr. Edward H. Fowler and wife of Academy street, will be at home next week.

Mr. Henry Hornblower and family are to return next week from Plymouth.

Herbert Veames returned on Wednesday from his two weeks' stay at Pemberton.

Mr. James O. Holt has spent a portion of the present week at Falmouth, with his family.

Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Chase, Russell street, had a delightful outing in N. H. during Home week.

The Rev. Mr. Bushnell's children returned from their summer vacation at Bedford, on Thursday.

Miss Sophia Freeman after her summer at Southport, Me., is spending a few days in Bridgton, Me.

Public services will be resumed in the Unitarian church on Sunday (tomorrow) by the pastor, the Rev. Mr. Gill.

Miss Constance Veames returned on Friday from a pleasant visit to Dr. Woodbury's family at Foxboro.

Mrs. Veames and Miss Veames sail for home in the "New England," leaving Liverpool Thursday, the 14th inst.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert F. Winn have returned from their delightful wedding trip. Their home is at 659 Mass. avenue.

Mrs. M. E. Moore and little son have arrived home from Thomaston, Me., where they have been enjoying themselves.

Mr. and Mrs. Griffin returned from their bridal tour this morning. They are to make their home at 334 Mass. avenue.

Arrangements for lessons on the pianoforte with Miss Olivia Tolman may now be made with her at 695 Mass. avenue.

Mr. Major Bacon, 334 Mass. avenue, has been drawn on jury to serve in the Superior Court which begins its sessions on Monday.

The Sunday school of St. John's Church will re-open on Sunday, Sept. 17th. The session of the school follows immediately upon morning service.

Morning prayer and sermon at St. John's Church, Academy street, on Sunday, at half-past ten o'clock. The rector, Rev. James Veames, will preach.

We are heartily glad to see our Arlington clergymen home again. We somehow feel a little safer when the ministers are within speaking distance.

Mr. Henry Bodenstain and his son from Staatsburg, N. Y., arrived on Friday. They are to be associated with W. T. Wood & Co., in the manufacture of ice-tools.

Mr. Hodges of the new-store not only gives you the latest there is in the journalistic and magazine world, but he also sells you the best brand of cigars in the market.

Horace Hardy, son of Judge Hardy, has just returned from a visit to Candia, N. H., where he has been a guest of Mott Sargent, a classmate of his at Dartmouth College.

There oughtn't to be a vacant seat on Sunday morning in any one of our churches. Give your pastor a cordial greeting after these long weeks of vacation through your presence.

Miss Theresa O'Neil of North Cross street was the lucky person to win the bicycle offered by the Knights of Columbus. Miss O'Neil sold 75 tickets, while the next nearest was 75.

Joseph J. Guidrey is substitute clerk in the post-office in place of Frank Breen, who is in Philadelphia with the Grand Army. Mr. Breen will visit New York City and Washington, D. C., before his return.

The many friends of Miss Harriette E. Shepard, a highly esteemed teacher of the Webster school, Cambridgeport, regret that on account of her present condition of health she will not be able to resume school duties on Monday, Sept. 17th.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry W. Ballard, with their son Gardner and his cousin Clif-

ford Wells of Wayland, are back to Wayland from the New Hampshire mountains. When the boys stood on the highest top of the mountains and took in their surroundings they involuntarily exclaimed: "Gee!"

Mrs. E. G. Damon, Mr. Fred. W. Damon and Miss Freda Damon returned Thursday from a delightful vacation at Kennebunkport, Me. Mr. Damon has spent the greater part of the summer at this favorite summer resort.

The doors to our several school buildings are to be wide open on Monday morning to receive gladly again both teachers and pupils. The Enterprise bespeaks for School Supt. Sutcliffe and his corps of teachers a pleasant and successful year, and to the High school we extend our best wishes. The public schools of Arlington are well to the front. Let us see that they are kept there.

Mr. Winthrop Pattee, connected with the office of Henry W. Savage, has again sold the property at 35 Jason street, which consists of a 10-room house, with all modern conveniences, together with a stable and 26,128 square feet of land. The assessed value is \$3127. Mr. Albert E. Turner of Arlington buys from Mr. Joseph P. Whalen.

We had a pleasant chat the other day with the Rev. Mr. Veames, concerning his outing at Sugar Hill in the White Mountain region. He is enthusiastic over the magnificent scenery as viewed from that locality. Mr. Veames, during his vacation has done lots of work in his professional line, preaching every Sunday. He recognizes the fact that there is rest in a change of surroundings. Mr. Veames is in excellent health and ready for his autumn church work.

Mr. Seth P. Batchelder of East Lexington, who is well known in Arlington, has enlisted in the 46th U. S. Vol. Infantry, stationed at South Framingham, recruiting for active service in the Philippines. Mr. Batchelder is a man of military training, having served in Cos. B and K, 1st Mass. Artillery for six years as corporal, and as 2d Lieutenant in the 26th provisional company. He is a crack shot, and has several sharpshooter medals.

The Rev. Mr. and Mrs. Harry Fay Fister returned from their bridal vacation in the west on Wednesday. We were glad to meet Mr. Fister and exchange greetings with him. He and Mrs. Fister have had a delightful summer at the parental home of Mr. Fister, in Michigan. Our reverend friend looks the picture of health, so that now he is ready for the hardest kind of work. We are sure that all Arlington, as well as the Universalist church and society, will give a cordial welcome to Mrs. Fister.

A call upon the Rev. S. C. Bushnell the other evening at his study, found him enthusiastic over his vacation in the Adirondack region. He and Mrs. Bushnell return with renewed vigor and health. Mr. Bushnell did lots of rowing on the lake which is near by the summer home he had in the mountains, and both he and Mrs. Bushnell met with marked success in fishing from the lake; Mrs. Bushnell distinguished herself by catching a pickerel weighing five pounds. In spite, however, of his good time off, Mr. Bushnell says he is glad to be home again and at his work. We are absolutely sure that all Arlington is glad to see her ministers back again.

Mr. Charles P. Ladd, Jr., who served on board the cruiser U. S. S. Prairie during the war with Spain, has enlisted in the 46th U. S. Vol. Infantry at South Framingham, now recruiting for active service in the Philippines. This is the second time Mr. Ladd has enlisted to fight for his country, and it is a pleasure to know at least one Arlington boy has accepted the call of President McKinley and donned the blue. Charles made a good record for himself while on the Prairie, and we know he will make a record when he reaches the Philippines of which Arlington will feel proud. His host of friends here will watch eagerly for returns regarding him while involved in so perilous an undertaking.

For some time the members of Circle Lodge, 77 A. O. U. W., have contemplated making a change in their quarters, and, as we announced in a former issue, had secured Grand Army Hall (one of the most beautiful halls in the state) to hold meetings. The lodge has worked to a great disadvantage, many members near and around the centre preferring to go to Cambridge or Somerville. As soon as the decisive step was taken these members of the order announced their intentions of attending here, thus greatly adding to the membership. Certainly Circle Lodge could not have chosen a better place. This lodge was instituted in February, 1887, with 17 charter members, and gradually and surely the membership has increased until now it has 79 on its membership list, a nice number. In all these years only four members have died. The examination is very strict, thus the deaths are comparatively few. The average assessment has been but \$14 on \$2000, which is a cheap insurance. In New England there are over 50,000 members, and the entire membership is 350,000, a good-sized army. The officers are in hopes to increase the membership quite largely. The meetings are to be held the first and third Fridays at 8 o'clock. Read the advertisement on first page.

POPULARITY INCREASING DAILY.

WHILE the summer visitors at the mountains and at the shore are returning home, Robbins Spring Hotel is registering a longer list of names than during the warmer days of the summer time.

The fact is, this popular hotel, delightful in its situation the whole year through, is still more delightful as the autumn days come on. The hotel is now filled with permanent guests and applications for accommodations are being received daily. The many guests of the house are continuously entertained by a variety of interesting and instructive amusements. On Sunday afternoon a second concert was given from 1 o'clock to 3 p. m., by Williams' Orchestra, and a sacred concert given from 5 to 7. The selections so well rendered by the orchestra, were in keeping with the day.

Monday, Labor Day, saw the hotel running over with friends of the guests. A party from the house had a delightful ride through Middlesex Fells. Tuesday the tennis tournament was finished; and we may say this game finds elsewhere no more expert playing than upon the grounds of the hotel. Miss Edmonds led the score, winning victory from the former champion. On Wednesday a large number of guests went to Lexington and Concord, refreshing their memory with the history of the earlier times.

Among the recent arrivals at the hotel are: Miss Rebecca S. Melvin and maid from the Lauham Hotel, Boston; Dr. R. M. Pearce, Boston; Mrs. D. W. Chandler, Roxbury; Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Edmonds, Boston; Miss R. M. Edmonds, Newton Centre; C. H. Davis, Washington, D. C.; Mr. and Mrs. George P. Howlett, West Newton; Miss Byron, Albany, N. Y.; Mrs. M. E. Parsons and son, Ernest, Commonwealth ave., Boston; Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Bragdon, daughter, nurse and infant child, Boston; Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Bryant and child, Boston; Mr. and Mrs. A. Cheney, West Newton; Rev. L. P. Atwood of Westfield, Vt., father of the Atwood brothers; and Miss Ann Baldwin, Chicago.

The dining room of the hotel is now in charge of J. M. Shew, who was for several years head waiter at the Atlantic House, Nantasket, and for some time occupying a like position at the Rockingham House, Portsmouth, N. H., and at the Rexford Hotel, Boston. There is no hotel in any of our cities where meals are served in a more elegant way than they are at the Robbins Spring Hotel under the supervision of Mr. Shew.

Mr. Herbert Peirce, who has been employed at the hotel as assistant clerk, has given much satisfaction to everyone interested in the house, and so all alike regret his leaving. Mr. Peirce resigned his position that he might put himself in training for the varsity foot ball games, Tufts college. Mr. Peirce is a reliable, capable man wherever you put him.

During the summer the Universalist church building has been thoroughly renovated, some slight repairs done and everything is in readiness for services Sunday. The regular services will be held: morning worship at 10.45 a. m.; Sunday school 12 m.; evening service at 7. The quartette choir of last year will sing, but Mrs. Stevens, organist, will not be able to resume her position for some time, and her place will be taken by Miss West of Cambridge. The pastor, Rev. Harry Fay Fister, returned from the west early in the week and will preach. The superintendent of the Sunday school earnestly requests that the officers, teachers and members of the Sunday school make an endeavor to be present at the opening session. The topic for the young peoples' service in the evening will be "The Mustard Seed;" Matt. 13: 31.

On Tuesday evening of this week one of the most hotly contested bicycle races occurred. The race was between Ephraim Atkins and H. W. Cook, around the course taken by the riders Monday. A large crowd assembled to see the fun, and fun it was. The riders did their best to outdo one another. From the monument to the track they were side by side, but Cook made a spurt which shot him ahead and winning. Atkins crossed the electric track and ran into Mr. Teele, but fortunately neither were hurt. The money was awarded to Cook after considerable discussion, Atkins claiming it unfair, as he felt. A strenuous effort was made to have Atkins try again, but it was found a spoke in his wheel was broken, thus preventing him racing. Some time next week they will race again. But we doubt if there will again be as much sport in so short a time as last Tuesday evening.

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Mr. Peirce made many friends. The regular Wednesday evening hop was largely attended by the guests and many of their friends from Boston, Cambridge and Arlington. The gentlemen were in evening dress and the ladies well gowned as usual.

Mrs. A. A. Bragdon looked particularly well in black dotted mouseline de soie, with insertions of chantilly lace. Mrs. James Landy, in a Worth creation, white and lilac combined with black, looked very charming. Mrs. F. A. Edmonds was in a dainty dress of pink French muslin over turquoise blue silk, trimmings of Fedora lace. Miss Edmonds wore a pretty green and white India silk. Mrs. E. W. Burton looked well in a navy blue organdy, barred with white. Mrs. J. A. Clark, in a French gown of black silk grenadine, with lavender trimmings, looked exceedingly handsome.

Miss Helen Atwood was sweet as usual in a dainty gray cashmere skirt, with pink taffeta waist. Miss Susie White wore a delicate organdy which was very becoming, and Miss Nellie Willett in handsomely embroidered waite muslin waist and black skirt, looked her bright and happy self.

Among the friends from Boston was noticed Mrs. F. W. Bryant in black and white, and her friend, Miss Minerva Coffin of Commonwealth avenue, in turquoise blue waist with black skirt.

Mr. and Mrs. James Macmahon and daughter, guests of Mr. H. L. Harburt, were present, and were smartly dressed. Miss Macmahon looked particularly well in a pretty blue and white muslin and lace.

The young ladies from the Heights looked picturesque and attractive in their pretty summer dresses, and seemed to enjoy themselves.

Mr. L. L. P. Atwood, last but not least, was busy as usual looking after the welfare of his guests, and we feel sure one and all of the participants in the many enjoyable parties given by him this season will unite in a vote of thanks for his untiring efforts to make every one happy.

Mrs. Lothrop was very artistically dressed in black silk grenadine over turquoise blue, trimmings of black lace, and entertained her Boston friends in a charming and pleasing style.

The truth is, and we take especial delight in saying it, the lady guests of Robbins Spring Hotel have those charms of grace and manner that attract and please on every and all occasions, and when so exquisitely and tastefully gowned as they were on Wednesday evening, they make an array of beauty in which the artist could but delight.

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Brattle—4.47, 6.08, 6.38, 7.06, 8.06, 8.56, 10.09, 11.16, A. M., 12.27, 1.03, 2.30, 3.56, 4.48, 5.21, 6.41, 8.20, 9.29, 10.20, P. M. Sundays, 9.27, A. M. 1.00, 2.25, 3.14, 4.28, 6.18, 8.28, P. M.
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Lake Street—4.53, 6.15, 6.45, 7.15, 7.45, 8.03, 8.10, 9.03, 10.15, 11.21, A. M., 12.32, 1.08, 2.25, 4.01, 5.26, 5.49, 6.23, 7.00, 7.18, 8.25, 9.25, 10.25, P. M. Sundays, 9.33, A. M. 1.05, 2.31, 3.31, 4.44, 6.24, 8.34, P. M.
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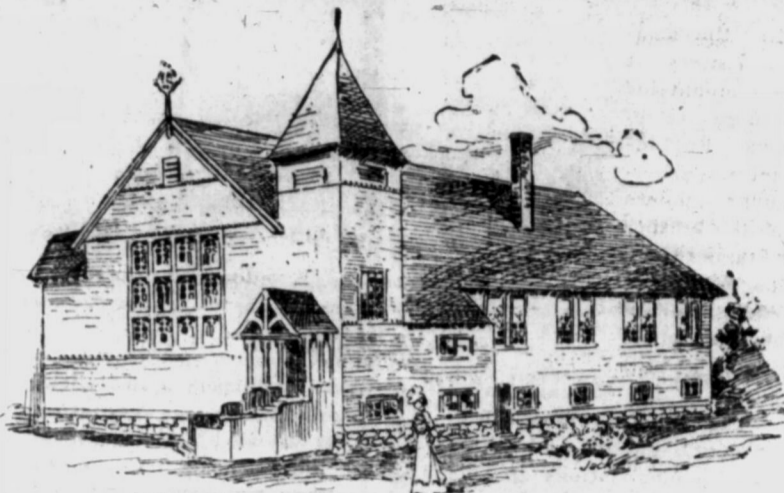
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THE NEW BAPTIST CHAPEL.



By permission of the Boston Herald.

Mrs. Kendall and family of Clare-
mont avenues are home from Northport,
Me.

Mrs. Dr. Allen Mott Ring, with
friends, are spending two weeks in St.
John's.

Mrs. Burwell of Lowell court is taking
a needed and well deserved rest in New
Hampshire.

Prayer meeting of the Baptist church
was held at Kimball Farmer's home on
Friday evening.

Mrs. Cooper and her two daughters
have returned from their vacation in
Wolboro, N. H.

Mrs. Manley and children of Hillside
avenue reached home on Saturday from
their vacation in Maine.

Mrs. Clark and Mrs. Prescott of Man-
chester, N. H., are guests of Mrs. D. G.
Drew, Westminster avenue.

The Junior Endeavors of the Park
Avenue Church had a jolly time at
Crescent Beach on Thursday.

Sunday school of the Baptist church
will be held at 2:15; preaching service
at 3; evening service at 7:30.

Mrs. Wyle read "The Last Hymn,"
which was rendered very impressively.
Remarks by the pastor, A. W. Lorimer.

Jason Swadkins is much better of his
recent illness. He will soon be at his
work again with William T. Wood & Co.

George F. Reed is home again from
Stoddard, N. H. He expects, however,
to return to his old home in a few days.

Mrs. B. F. Cann and family are at
home from Yarmouth, N. S., where
they have been for the past two months.

Six persons united with the
Arlington Heights Baptist church last
Sunday. Two by baptism and four by
letter.

Merrick L. Streetar has accepted a
position with Burr, Eveleth & Ingalls,
Bedford street, Boston, where he was
formerly employed.

The Rev. J. F. Lovering, D. D., of
Boston, will preach in the Park Avenue
Church on Sunday. Communion service
in the morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Barbour and Miss Olive
and little Geraldine, of Cambridge,
made a call on Mrs. Brigham at 49
Claremont ave., on Monday.

Rev. J. W. Bridgman and family left
the Heights, where they have been
staying, on Wednesday morning for
their home in Cambridgeport.

Mr. J. H. Simpson of Claremont ave-
nue gave on Wednesday a birthday
party to his uncle, Mr. Franklin Smith,
who has just returned from Europe.

There was a business meeting of the
standing committee of the Park Avenue
Church on Monday evening, when work

Arlington Locals.

Board of Registrars of Voters met
tonight.

Mrs. James L. Beers and children re-
turned to their home Saturday after a
pleasant vacation at

Miss Mary Caryell of Philadelphia is
a guest of her sister, Mrs. William G.
Rice of Pleasant street place.

Lindsay K. Foster, who has been in
Colorado for the past two years, is at
home again, much improved in health.

The Misses Winn of Summer street
have been entertaining this present
week Miss Lillian F. Munroe and Miss
Rose Munroe of Bristol, R. I.

Mr. Louis Berthrong has accepted a
position with Mr. George W. Knowl-
ton, dealer in mechanical rubber goods,
73 Broad street, Boston. Mr. Knowl-
ton's business is increasing very rapidly.

A serious accident was barely escaped
on Monday on the Arlington & Win-
chester electric road. A Mr. Kenney
of Cambridge, while attempting to pass
a carriage, turned his own horse and
carriage in front of the electric car.

The carriage was overturned, but for-
tunately Mr. Kenney and those with
him were but slightly hurt.

Of late Mr. Hodges has been consid-
erably annoyed of late by the morning
paper train being behind time. This
is unavoidable, and a great loss to Mr.
Hodges who is endeavoring, by every
known effort, to perfect his newspaper
business. If your paper is late don't
blame him, he is not at fault, but quiet-
ly score the railroad people.

Mr. W. W. Rawson is erecting on his
premises on Warren street, a two-story
brick headhouse on the site of the one
burned some time ago. It is to be mod-
ern in every particular. The dimen-
sions are 30x40 feet with flat roof. A
new tank is to be erected on the roof
and will hold 3000 gallons of water.

Just back of the headhouse Mr. Raw-
son is erecting a new greenhouse 30x155
feet. The mason work is being done by
Mr. Augustus Bishop, while the car-
penter work is under the supervision
of Mr.

George P. Crosby of Fitchburg, for-
merly of Arlington, is now asst. post-
master in his adopted town. Postmaster
Crosby is a brother of Selectman Walter
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Mr. Eugene M. Kimball, Whittemore
street, has been entertaining during the
present week, Mr. E. E. Deering of
Minn., arrived in Arlington last Sun-
day afternoon to make a visit with his
brother, Mr. N. J. Hardy, our popular
baker and caterer, but unfortunately
Mr. Hardy had gone into the woods of
Canada on a hunting expedition. Mr.
Hardy went to White Bear 18 years ago,
and all these years the brothers have not
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lar in his community. His business is
groceries, and he has just purchased the
building in which his store is located.

Mr. Hardy is enthusiastic over the East
so far as he has seen it, and our conver-
sation with him proves him to be not
only a business man, but a gentleman.

The Y. P. Auxiliary of the Baptist
church held its first entertainment at
Mr. Kimball Farmer's home, 1160 Mass.
avenue, at 7:30 Tuesday evening. After
the business meeting there was reading
by Miss Flossie Brigham of Cambridge-
port, "The Little Quader Sinner."

An invitation has been received by us
to be present at the laying of the corner-
stone of the Arlington Heights Baptist
church edifice on Tuesday, Sept. 12th,
at 3:30 o'clock p. m., weather permit-
ting. If the day is stormy the laying of
the stone will take place on Thursday
afternoon, Sept. 14th.

The Sunshine club met on Wednes-
day afternoon at the residence of Mrs.
W. O. Partridge, Claremont avenue.
There was a full attendance. The club
formulated plans for a series of outings
during this month and October, these
half days off to take place on every other
Wednesday. Next Wednesday the
club is to have a basket picnic in
Peirce's grove if the weather is favor-
able, otherwise a spread and a social
time will be had in the home of Mrs.
Leander Peirce.

Sunday evening the concert at the
Baptist church was quite a success, not-
withstanding the unpleasant weather.
Recitations were good. A solo by Mr.
Clare of Arlington, was rendered very
appreciatively. A Bible was presented
to Miss Lena Smith from the superin-
tendent, J. W. White, by Mr. Finley,
for bringing in new pupils. Miss Alex-
ander gave two or three pleasing solos.
Singing by the audience; an old fash-
ioned spelling class in which nearly all
participated. Miss Bridgman gave two
or three more readings. The debate
which was expected was deferred until
next meeting on account of the unav-
oidable absence of the contestants.
Meeting adjourned to meet the first
Tuesday in October.

The W. C. T. U. will hold a meeting
on Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the
home of M. J. Wiggin, Maple st.

Clarence Johnson represented in the
N. E. Amateur Rowing Ass'n regatta on
Charles River, on Labor Day, the A. B.
Club. Mr. Johnson won first prize in
the novice singles. Time was 13m. 10s.

James S. Butterfield has returned from
his vacation in Me.

Mrs. Academy Robinson, recently
of Academy street, has a brother who is
adjutant of the 26th regt. U. S. V.

A. A. Tilden was present at the con-
vention of the Mass. Firemen's Ass'n, at
Newburyport, on Wednesday.

James Broderick was fined in court
\$10. for taking that ride which we men-
tioned last week.

The regular Bethel Lodge meeting
was held on Wednesday evening. Two
candidates were initiated.

Clarence W. Moore who is assistant
supt. of the woolen mills in Webster,
spent Labor Day at his home in Arling-
ton.

Lodge Room Change.
Circle Lodge 77, A. O. U. W.
Will hereafter meet in G. A. R. Hall on
the first and third Fridays of each
month at eight o'clock.

W. D. Rockwood, M. W.
J. R. Mann, Recorder.

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ODDS AND ENDS.

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will entertain the assembly with a (C.
F. W.) solo composed for the occasion.

Bob Ingersoll met Garfield sh rtl
before the latter was elected Preside t,
and said to him: "Garfield, you are
going to be elected President, I hope,
but by the time you have been Pre i ent
a month you'll wish that you were run-
ning an ice house in Hades." Soon
after Garfield's election they met again.
"Well," said Ingersoll, "how goes it?"
"I don't know but I prefer the ice house
business," Garfield replied.

Miss Maria Mitchell, the lady who
distinguished herself above all other
ladies by her contributions to astronomi-
cal science, once asked Mr. Whittier if he
was confident of his immortality. The
poet waived his own personal claims,
and responded: "I cannot conceive that
the soul of Maria Mitchell can ever die."

At the election of Miss Maria Mitchell
to membership of the American Acad-
emy of Arts and Sciences, in 1818, the
e arose a serious discussion as to the pro-
priety of calling her a Fellow; and in the
diploma the printed word "FELLOW"
was erased and the words "Honorary
Member" was inserted by Dr. Asa Gray,
who signed the document as President.
Subsequently her name appears in the
list of Fellows of this Academy, of the
American Institute, and of the Ameri-
can Association.

George Fred Williams has all the at-
tributes requisite to oratorical and p-ro-
technical display. His powers are
nothing if not oratorical. He has elo-
quence, grandiloquence, and magnilo-
quence; he has loquacity, garrulity and
verbosity; he can harrangue, declaim,
spout, rant, and recite; he can do al-
most any of the things that can be done
with words, but he cannot make a
speech. Ex-Gov. Russell was his anti-
podes; he never stood before an audi-
ence without making a speech. To
every utterance of the former the lis-
tener hangs an interrogation point;
every sentence the latter uttered took
deep root.

The following, I apprehend, is the
syllabus of the gold Democrat's creed:
Credit is the basis of business. Business
is the exchange of commodities. Com-
modities are measured by money.
Money, the measurer, has its standard
fixed in gold, the substance of most
precious and least fluctuating value.
All values are measured by gold—even
the value of silver. Values may change,
but the measurer is the measurer still.

Only two women are left to draw pen-
sions on account of the revolutionary
war, but who can compute or enumerate
the number of women who will become
pensioners in the war of the Philippines?
For the privilege of prosecuting this
war commenced several centuries ago
by Spain we paid the snug little sum of
\$10,000,000.

It is a fair and pertinent question
whether the rapidly increasing club-life
of both men and women is not robbing
the home of its distinctive features as an
institution for the proper development
of child-life and youth-life. The father,
intensely and persistently engaged at
his office, store, and club, finds no time
to devote to the physiologic, mental,
and moral training of his rapidly deve-
oping son. The mother, intent upon
her household cares, teas, receptions,
calls, balls, clubs, and various social
functions, has neither time nor energy
to direct the forces of her daughter
into a normal and healthy channel.
Woman's work in literature, art, soci-
ology, civics, is commendable if con-
ducted with moderation and if it does
not detract from the legitimate duties
of the home. The motto of the wife
and mother should be "Home-life first,
club-life afterwards."

Why are China and the Chinese re-
garded as our antipodes? Because in
China the magnetic needle points to the
south, the left hand is the post of honor,
the Chinaman puts on his hat when he
wishes to pay deference and takes it off
to mark indifference or contempt, he
reads from right to left, he eats fruit at
the beginning and soup at the end of
dinner, he inverts the tureen to pre-
vent the soup from falling out, and his
deity are subterranean, therefore he
will not mine nor build railroads lest
they be disturbed.

Heredity. O. W. Holmes once said
that if you want to reform a man you
should begin two hundred years before
he is born. No fact in the domain of
medicine has been more firmly estab-
lished than that parents pass down to
their offspring something which, in the
development of the child, produces cer-
tain results. The child may be partially
or wholly a pathologic product, and
from the dawn of his existence to the
sunset of his life may be compelled to
carry the diseased burdens of a long
line of ancestors. Ancestral sins are
heavy and often the largest amount of
physiologic education will not render
them light. The stamp of heredity put
upon the threefold nature of man re-
fuses to be erased. The seeds of im-
moral forces sown by progenitors spring
up in after generations and bear the
fruits of vice and crime. "Whatsoever
a man soweth that shall he also reap" is
the inspired and comprehensive state-
ment of this great law, and it is not lim-
ited to a spiritual sense, but includes
all his mental and physical nature. It
is a serious question in political ecor-
omy whether criminals should be per-
mitted to marry and propagate crim-
inals; also whether a physician's certi-
cate should not be required as well as a
certificate from the clerk of marriages.

VERITAS.

How to Open a New Book.
Hold the book with its back on a
smooth or covered table; let the front
board down, then the other, holding the
leaves in one hand while you open a
few leaves at the back, then a few at
the front, and so go on, alternately
opening back and front, gently pressing
open the sections till you reach the
center of the volume. Do this two or
three times and you will obtain the
best results. Open the volume violently
or carelessly in any one place and you
will likely break the back and cause a
start in the leaves. Never force the
back. If it does not yield to gentle
opening rely upon it the back is too
tightly or strongly lined.

A connoisseur many years ago, an
excellent customer of mine, who
thought he knew perfectly how to han-
dle books, came into my office when I
had an expensive binding just brought
from the bindery ready to be sent home.
He, before my eyes, took hold of the
volume, and tightly holding the leaves
in each hand, instead of allowing them
free play, violently opened it in the
center and exclaimed, "How beautifully
your bindings open!" I almost fainted.
He had broken the back of the volume,
and it had to be rebound.—"Modern
Bookbinding Practically Considered,"
by William Matthews.

Got the Wrong Woman.
A pastime which obtains among the
farm classes of Korea, known as the
"packing off of widows," consists of a
raid by some disconsolate widower and
his friends on some village known to con-
tain a young widow, the forcible abduc-
tion of the lady in question and her mar-
riage to the widower. An instance of
this kind has recently come to our no-
tice. A widower living in one of the
villages of Kangwha with 11 friends
went to a hamlet close to the walls of
Kangwha city where a widow lived
and seized and carried off, after some-
what of a battle, a young lady. It so
happened, however, that they had mis-
taken the house and unfortunately got
hold of the wrong lady. Early the next
morning an indignant posse came in
pursuit, but the men who had commit-
ted the dastardly deed succeeded in
eluding them. The young lady, how-
ever, was rescued, and after the house
of the widower and its contents had
been completely demolished she was
escorted home in triumph by her hus-
band and his friends.—Kobe Chronicle.

Hook Swinging in Bengal.
The people of Gangutia, in Bengal,
have a barbarous practice called hook
swinging. They deck themselves out
with garlands, and then assemble to-
gether to undergo the most horrible tor-
ture. A wire about a quarter of an inch
in diameter and seven feet long is
pierced through the tongue, and then
the wretched being will dance for over
half an hour with the wire still hang-
ing through the tongue.

Some of them form themselves into a
row and are then sewed together by a
wire needle threaded with cord. They
are sewed by the arms and look like
herrings on a wire when ready for the
hook.

It is thought that the victims are
drugged considerably beforehand, owing
to the sullen, dazed expression they
wear throughout, but sometimes one or
two faint and are with great difficulty
brought round again.

When Home is Sweet.
Fewer wives move sit lonesomely at
home while their husbands roam else-
where in search of entertainment if
more wives realized that home should
be something besides a clean place to
eat and sleep in. Men "hate" wom-
en's ten parties and large show func-
tions, but they like dinner and supper
parties. Many families refrain from
entertaining because they cannot do
so on an expensive scale. It is, how-
ever, possible to give small dinners and
suppers that are both enjoyable and
inexpensive. Ask people who either
do or will like each other, and if you
wish the women to have a good time
have just as many men guests as wom-
en guests. If the men are to have a
good time, make sure that some of the
women are pretty and flattering. Men
like to be flattered. Oh, yes, they do.—
Gentlewoman.

Boiled Rice.
Thomas Murray, the noted chef, says
many cooks do not know how to do so
simple a thing as to boil rice properly.
Each grain of rice, he says, should be
distinct, whole, but at the same time
tender. To accomplish this, a small
quantity of rice should be boiled in a
large pot nearly filled with water. Put
it into cold water and a little salt and
boil rapidly for 20 or 30 minutes. Test
the grains occasionally, and when a
slight pressure between the thumb and
forefinger will crush them they are
done. If allowed to boil till the grains
burst or boiled in a small quantity of
water, the grains will stick together.
When done, drain off the water and set
the rice on the range, where it will
keep warm.—Exchange.

Hay Crops on Ice.
Farmers who live in the vicinity of
Muskego lake, in southeastern Wisconsin,
derive a profitable income from the
lake each winter by harvesting
hay on the ice. The shallowness of
the water in the lake bed causes the
grass growing on the bottom to project
considerably above the surface, and
when the ice forms the hay can be
cut with great ease, though it cannot
be got at the rest of the year on ac-
count of the boggy nature of the lake
bottom.

While the population of France has
increased only 10 per cent in the last 80
years, the number of state officials, ac-
cording to M. Turquan, shows an in-
crease of 121 per cent.

The shopgirl would enjoy her job
better if she learned to sit on the coun-
ter when not busy.—Galveston News.

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